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The Honorable Alison J. Nathan United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. Oneil Dasilva, S2 15 Cr. 95 (AJN)

Dear Judge Nathan:

The Government respectfully submits this letter, in lieu of a formal sentencing submission, to request that the Court sentence the defendant Oneil Dasilva to the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment of 120 months, as also requested by the United States Probation Office and by Dasilva himself. Dasilva was one of the most violent defendants to be charged in this case, having committed a shooting that injured multiple children in a backyard party in the Bronx, New York. If it were not for his recent spinal injuries, this sentence would be woefully insufficient. However, these injuries are significant. Under the unique circumstances of this case, a term of imprisonment of 120 months is sufficient but not greater than necessary to satisfy the statutory sentencing factors, as outlined in the Presentence Report.

Respectfully submitted,

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